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## GCSE MATHEMATICS

**Higher Tier** 

Paper 2 Calculator

Thursday 7 November 2019

Morning

### Time allowed: 1 hour 30 minutes

#### Materials

For this paper you must have:

- a calculator
- mathematical instruments.

#### Instructions

- Use black ink or black ball-point pen. Draw diagrams in pencil.
- Fill in the boxes at the top of this page.
- Answer all questions.
- You must answer the questions in the spaces provided. Do not write outside the box around each page or on blank pages.
- Do all rough work in this book. Cross through any work you do not want to be marked.

#### Information

- The marks for questions are shown in brackets.
- The maximum mark for this paper is 80.
- You may ask for more answer paper, graph paper and tracing paper. These must be tagged securely to this answer book.

#### Advice

In all calculations, show clearly how you work out your answer.







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Anything written in green in a cloud doesn't have to be written in the exam.

Anything written in orange in a rectangle doesn't have to be written in the exam and is there to show what should be put into a calculator or measured using a ruler or protractor.

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200 people recorded the time they spent on social media one day.The table shows the results.

Time, <i>t</i> (mins)	Frequency	Midpoint	
0 <i>≤ t</i> < 30	24	IS	360
30 <i>≤ t</i> < 50	76	40	3040
50 <i>≤ t</i> < 60	52	55	2860
60 <i>≤ t</i> < 90	48	75	3600
	Total = 200		9860



Work out an estimate of the mean time.

[3 marks]

Mean = total ÷ number, where total is the total time in minutes and number is the number of people. Using the midpoint of each category to estimate the time for all of the people in each category. The midpoints can be worked out by doing the mean of the upper and lower bound of each category.

> 0 + 30 = 30. Then 30 ÷ 2 = 15 30 + 50 = 80. Then 80 ÷ 2 = 40 50 + 60 = 110. Then 110 ÷ 2 = 55 60 + 90 = 150. Then 150 ÷ 2 = 75

Multiplying the midpoints by the frequencies for each category works out an estimate of the total time for each category.

24 x 15 = 360 76 x 40 = 3040 52 x 55 = 2860 48 x 75 = 3600

Then adding all of these totals works out that the estimated total time is 9860 minutes. Dividing this by the 200 people works out an estimate of the mean time

Answer 49.3 mins









13 (b)

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Draw a histogram to represent the results.

















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17	A packet contains 80 sweets.	box
	The flavour of each sweet is lemon, orange or apple.	
	A sweet is taken at random.	
17 (a)	$P(\text{lemon or orange}) \leq 0.85$	
	Work out the minimum possible number of <b>apple</b> sweets in the packet.	
I-0.85 ◀ 0.15 × 8	The greatest probability is wanted for lemon or orange so that the probability of apple is as small as possible. The greatest this can be is 0.85. It is certain to be apple or not apple. So subtracting the 0.85 from 1 (which is the probability of something which is certain) leaves the minimum probability of apple Multiplying the minimum probability of apple by the 80 sweets works out the minimum number of apple	
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<b>17 (b)</b> O.71×80	P(lemon or apple) < 0.71 There are 31 lemon sweets. Work out the maximum possible number of <b>apple</b> sweets in the packet. [2 marks] Multiplying the upper bound of the probability of lemon or apple works out that the upper bound of the number of lemon or apple is 56.8. There needs to be a whole number so rounding down to 56 means that the probability would be less than 0.71	
56-31	Subtracting the 31 lemon from the 56 lemon or apple leaves 25 apple)	
	Answer 25	6
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23 (b)
 Volume of A × 
$$\frac{125}{8}$$
 = Volume of C

 Work out the value of x.
 [3 marks]

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 125/8 is the volume scale factor from A to C. The unit of volume is on' so cube rooting this volume scale factor gives the length scale factor
 [3 marks]

 \$x 2.5
 Multiplying the length of A by the length scale factor works out x
 [3 marks]

 Answer
 [2.5]



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24	Here are two inequalities.	DOX
	$-2 \leqslant x \leqslant 3$	
	$9 \leqslant x + y \leqslant 11$	
	x and y are integers.	
	Work out the <b>greatest</b> possible value of $y - x$	
y≤∥ 132	<ul> <li>y - x will be greatest using the upper bound of y and the lower bound of x.</li> <li>So x should be -2. Subtracting x from both sides of the second inequality solves for y. Just dealing with the right side and ignoring the left side of the inequality as we are looking for the upper bound of y. So y should be 13</li> <li>Doing the chosen value of y subtract the chosen value of x</li> </ul>	
	Answer 15	







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27	$x_{n+1} = \sqrt[3]{3x_n + 7}$	outsic b
	Use a starting value of $x_1 = 2$ to work out a solution to $x = \sqrt[3]{3x + 7}$	
	Give your answer to 3 decimal places. [3 marks	]
ntering	2 into the calculator and pressing = (or EXE). Entering $\sqrt[3]{3Ans + 7}$ and keep pressing = (or EXE)	) until
all the c	digits in the answer stop changing. This gives 2.425988757, which can be given to 3 decimal pl	aces
	Answer 2426	
	END OF QUESTIONS	

